

BELGIAN TROOPS STRIKE BLOW IN NORTH HUNS TRY TO STAND ON THE HINDENBURG LINE

STARVATION FACES THREE MILLION JEWS IN THE WAR ZONE; RELIEF IS ASKED

TERRIBLE PLIGHT OF JEWISH
PEOPLE IN LANDS DEVASTATED
BY HUN ARMIES TOLD BY
NATHAN STRAUSS.

RAISE \$5,000 HERE

MOTHERS SECURE THE BODIES
OF THEIR DEAD CHILDREN IN
ORDER THAT THEY MAY USE
BREAD CARDS.

Three millions of Jews are dying of starvation in the war devastated areas of Poland, Lithuania, Galicia, Palestine and Turkey. This is the message that has been sent to local Jews by Nathan Strauss, the noted New York philanthropist and head of the Jewish Relief Committee. Mr. Strauss stresses the fact that families subsist entirely on the one bucket of soup that is doled out to them each day; that mothers hide the bodies of their dead children in order that they may retain their bread cards.

Aroused by the appeal and touched by the plight of their countrymen overseas, local Jews have undertaken to raise \$5,000 in the Twin Cities to be added to the relief fund, which has for its national goal the sum of \$15,000,000. One thousand dollars of this amount was secured within ten minutes, being the subscriptions of Albany and Decatur Jewish citizens. A canvass is being conducted with the view of obtaining the remainder, and a committee composed of I. J. Kuhn, A. D. Cohen, A. Bernstein, Henry Spielberger, Sam Frank, J. S. Patterson, J. Block, S. E. Orey and Harry Oshine is getting in touch with the generous public. It has been arranged that those who are overlooked may send checks to I. J. Kuhn in Albany and Mrs. E. Lyons in Decatur.

Many American cities have already "gone over the top" on Jewish relief. Clarksdale, Miss., with a population of 10,000, has given \$12,000. Wilmington, Del., "the city that wept for joy," raised \$140,000. The letter from Mr. Strauss explaining the terrible plight of the Jews in the east is as follows:

August 12, 1918.

Mr. I. Kuhn,
Decatur, Ala.
Dear Mr. Kuhn:

Three million of our fellow-Jews are dying of starvation in Poland, Lithuania, Galicia, Palestine and Turkey. They cry to you for help. Their suffering is terrible. Whole families are existing on a bucket of soup every twenty-four hours, which they receive only after standing in line for half a day. Mothers hide the dead bodies of their children in order to retain their bread cards while the rotting corpses spread pestilence. Old men are spending their last days in dark despair. It is beyond description. Help must come to them at once.

In this terrible crisis when our whole race is threatened with extinction, I beseech you to call a meeting of your fellow-Jews and organize in your community a committee to raise all the funds possible for our afflicted people. The \$10,000,000 which we raised last year throughout the country is far from adequate. We must raise \$15,000,000 this year if our starving people are to be saved.

Non-Jews everywhere are giving liberally to our cause. Will you not appeal to them in your community? I am sure you will find them eager to help.

To rescue our stricken people we must act at once. Delay means death to thousands. I rely upon you to send whatever funds you can raise as soon as possible.

Hoping to hear from you by return mail, I am with sincere thanks and best wishes.

Cordially yours,

NATHAN STRAUSS.
P. S.—I am also writing to the following residents of your community: Mr. A. Bernstein and Mr. J. Patterson.

Four "Slackers" Are Rounded Up

Four "slackers" rounded up at Cedar Lake, three white men and one negro, were today carried to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., by Patrolman Grubbs, the officer affecting the arrests. The men will be inducted into the military service without delay.

STREET SCENE IN THE IMPORTANT TOWN OF NOYON



Scene in Noyon, the French town used as a base by the Germans and now recaptured by the allies.

RUSSIAN PEASANTS ARE ADVANCING; NOW WITHIN 10 MILES OF CAPITAL

(International News Service)

Stockholm, Sept. 10.—Bolshevik troops are fleeing before a large force of revolting peasants led by white guard officers which is marching up on Petrograd, according to dispatches from Berlin. The revolutionaries are within ten miles of the Russian capital.

(International News Service)

Washington, Sept. 10.—The state department today was notified that the Norwegian consul at Moscow has taken over the American consulate there. Consul General Peole under date of Aug. 26 notified the department that all Americans in territory controlled by the Bolsheviks were in danger of reprisals.

SUBMARINE IS REPORTED SUNK IN BATTLE WITH BIG OIL TANKER

(International News Service)

Washington, Sept. 10.—A report of a battle which lasted nearly an hour and in which a big oil tanker is said to have finally sunk one of the latest type of German subma-

lines reached this city today.

According to the report the fight took place 350 miles off Sandy Hook. Officials of the navy department said they had a report of the conflict and were endeavoring to get details.

64 AUTOMOBILES WERE STOPPED SUNDAY BY THE HOME GUARDS

The report submitted today to Maj. B. L. Malone of the Albany Home Guards by Capt. Henry R. Davis shows that 64 automobile drivers were stopped Sunday and questioned as to why they were burning gasoline. The Home Guards did duty Sunday on the principal Albany thoroughfares, under the direction of the Council of Defense. They had no authority to make arrests, but took the names of all automobile users as a matter of information.

The report submitted by Capt. Davis showed that the public health was far below normal. The majority of the drivers insisted that they were hurrying post haste to the drug store for medicines, or were going for the doctor. Several drivers claimed to be in quest of Will Lee Hamblen, the negro who killed Patrolman Bass, while some fifteen had come to town in connection with the wounding of a man at the Bond lumber camp. This man was brought to

the office of the Drs. Chenault for treatment.

Physicians did a rushing business, as they are allowed to use their cars on Sunday, practically all of them finding occasion to do some riding. Friends inflicted themselves upon some of the medics, who were compelled to do a limited jitney business.

A South Albany citizen when questioned as to why he was out riding explained that he was en route to church. His residence is said to be within two blocks of the house of worship.

Only one man refused to answer the query as to why he was using his auto. During the morning hours Sunday the Home Guards gave each driver a small flag, so that he would not be stopped again. In the afternoon this practice was discontinued, and every gasoline consumer was stopped numbers of times and allowed to give his reason why.

FOUR ALBANY MERCHANTS AGREE TO ISSUE PERSHING PATRIOT BADGES

At the present time, four Albany merchants have agreed to sell "Baby Bonds" and issue the "Pershing Patriot" badges. It is hoped that other merchants will agree to do the same.

The "Pershing Patriot" plan is a special merchants' movement for the sale of "Baby Bonds" during the month of September. To everyone who buys a "Baby Bond" during the month, from a merchant authorized to handle them, will be given a "Pershing Patriot" badge, and his

name will be included in the list of one million names, which will be forwarded to General Pershing and his army to prove to them that the American people are behind them.

The Preuit-Dillehay Drug Co., R. E. Chandler, I. J. Kuhn and S. M. Thompson are authorized to issue these badges, and it will be necessary to buy your bonds of them, if you wish to be enrolled. However, it is expected that other merchants will arrange to issue badges within a few days, and their names will be announced later.

MEN BETWEEN 32 AND 36 TO BE CALLED EARLY IN FALL

(International News Service)

Washington, Sept. 10.—Calls for selective service men to fill the requisitions for October and November will fall upon the men between the ages of 32 and 36 years who register on Thursday, it was announced from the office of Provost Marshal Gen-

eral Crowder today. The youth between 18 and 20 years are to be sent to colleges. It is certain however that those between 19 and 20 years will be utilized for army purposes within a short time. The class from 37 to 45 will be called up last, if at all.

LIBERALS TO GET HIGH SEATS IN GERMAN CABINET

(International News Service)

Amsterdam, Sept. 10.—Phillip Schiedmann, German socialist leader, and Mathias Erzberger, leader of the democratic wing of the clerical party, are to enter the German cabinet, according to a prediction made by the Tageblatt of Leipzig, said a dispatch from a German source. The paper stated that Count Von Hertling, the German chancellor, will soon resign.

Note: There have been numerous reports lately that Von Hertling would resign, but this would be of less importance than the entrance of two liberals into the German cabinet.

Austrian Women Riot When Troops Entrain for West

(International News Service)

London, Sept. 10.—Riotous scenes were enacted in Vienna over the recent transfer of Austrian troops to Flanders, according to the Star's Zurich correspondent. Thousands of angry women raided the railway stations loudly protesting against the departure of the troops.

Throughout the dual empire the success of the allied armies on the western front has created a profound impression.

TRAIN HITS TRUCK; DRIVER ESCAPES

D. E. Sively, driving a Ford truck for J. D. Thomas, escaped injury shortly after noon today when the truck was struck by an L. & N. passenger train at the Moulton Street crossing. The approaching train was obscured from view by box cars standing on the siding, and the truck was knocked across the track by a blow on its nose. The driver jumped to safety, although the truck was badly damaged.

Bone Dry Bill is Reported Out

(International News Service)

Washington, Sept. 10.—The food bill with the prohibition amendment making that nation bone dry on July 1, next, already passed by the Senate, was favorably reported out this afternoon by the House committee on agriculture.

24 Men Wanted; This is Last Day

Today is the last day in which Morgan County limited service men can volunteer for special training at the University of Alabama. Twenty-four men are wanted by the county exemption board. They will entrain on September 19.

HUNDREDS JOIN IN HUNT FOR SLAYER PATROLMAN BASS

The hunt for Will Lee (Shorty) Hamblen, the negro who shot and killed Police Officer F. A. Bass of Decatur, continues. With unflagging zeal officers and citizens investigate every passing rumor as to the whereabouts of the much-wanted murderer, and there is no reason to doubt but that he will eventually fall into the hands of the law.

Early this morning, according to the statements of two white men, a negro thought to be Hamblen was seen to approach the railroad track just below the L. & N. shop inclosure. He was attempting to catch a south bound freight train. As the men dashed forward on their quarry, the negro swung onto the train, which pulled out of the yards. Telephonic messages were sent to Hart-sell to arrest the man there, while an effort was made to inform the crew of the presence of the unwelcome passenger on board the train.

Escapes From Train.
Later information from Hartselle stated that the negro was not on board the train when it arrived there, and a posse was sent to Hartselle to beat back this way. The men who saw the negro jump from a box car and catch the freight were Ed Dublin and Ed Humphrey, and the latter jumped aboard the caboose and warned the conductor.

That Hamblen was in hiding in the swamp undergrowth below the shops was the general impression yesterday afternoon, and in consequence a big man hunt was quickly organized. Some two hundred men and boys, armed with every conceivable form of weapon, from double-barrelled shotguns loaded with buckshot to deringers, beat the brush closely, but without result. Conspicuous among the throng was Jeff Eyster, swinging a long blue-barrelled Colt.

The hunt was precipitated when the rumor went the rounds that a negro woman carrying a full dinner pail had been seen to alight from a street car and proceed in the direction of "Oklahoma," a negro settlement. Small boys also reported that they had noted the swishing of the weeds, as though a man had just darted through them travelling low.

Huns Fear Negro Troops; Hear That Ears Chopped Off

(International News Service)

With the American Army in France, Sept. 10.—American negro troops that recently occupied one sector of the Vosges have recently been engaged in several encounters and have made a splendid showing. German prisoners say that the Germans are afraid of the negroes, as there is a report in the ranks that the negroes cut off their ears if captured.

Debs Jury Was Quickly Secured

(International News Service)

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 10.—Taking of testimony will occupy the attention of the court in the trial of Eugene V. Debs here today. The empanelling of the jury was completed yesterday afternoon and the opening addresses of counsel were completed before the adjournment of court.

Will Enter Service Under Old Glory

Dave Martin will leave tomorrow for his Tennessee home to register and will shortly go to Washington to enter the service of his country. Mr. Martin has resigned his position which will be open to him on his return. Dave Martin came to this city fourteen years ago. He has been successful and counts his friends by scores. His leaving for other fields of endeavor is regretted by a large circle, who wish him the best of luck.

Revenue Bill to Stand As It Is

(International News Service)

Washington, Sept. 10.—When the debate on the \$5,000,000,000 revenue bill was resumed in the House today both the democratic and republican leaders predicted that the measure would pass that body practically unaltered.

"REGISTRATION DAY SING"
A community sing will be had on Thursday evening, September 12, at 8:15 o'clock at corner of Second Avenue and Grant Streets.

ALLIES ARE ADVANCING, ASSERTS GENERAL HAIG, IN AN ORDER OF THE DAY

BRITISH LEADER PRAISES VALOR OF TROOPS WHO HAVE SWEEPED OBSTACLES ASIDE

FRENCH ADVANCE AT CROZAT CANAL

Germans Hope to Hold Present Positions Until Autumnal Rains Set In

(International News Service.)

London, Sept. 10.—Douai, the great German base in northern France, is being evacuated and most of the civilian population is already out, it was reported by German war correspondents at the front, said a dispatch from Amsterdam today.

(International News Service.)

With the American Army in France, Sept. 10.—The Belgian army added to the allied blows today when it began an offensive against the Germans and advanced to a depth of 2,000 yards, capturing the village of Pilkem, northeast of Ypres. The advance was carried out over a front of more than three miles. This extends the activities from the Flanders fighting zone towards the North Sea. Many fortified farms and cross roads were taken from the Germans. In addition to gaining Pilkem, the Belgians gained other high ground. This materially improves the salient. News of the Belgian success was keenly appreciated along the British front. One hundred and forty German prisoners were captured. The Belgian movement may be the first stroke in a new move to break the German hold on the North Sea coast.

While both the French and British have gained more ground across wide stretches of the battle front, German resistance is apparently stiffening along the flanks of the Hindenburg line in an effort to prevent the allies from turning this great chain of defensive works before autumnal storms put an end to big scale operations.

Both flanks of the Hindenburg line where gains had been made by the British and French are under heavy German counter attacks. The Germans have been repulsed everywhere. It is evident however that the Germans will be satisfied if they can stem the allied advance before the whole Hindenburg line is smashed. To the east of the Crozat canal the French are still extending their positions toward the southern end of the Hindenburg line. In that district the allies have gained 36 miles in 55 days. The past 24 hours the allies have made gains at various places on three fronts—Flanders, Picardy and the Aisne—and are steadily pushing their flanking movements against the Hindenburg line and the bastions of St. Quentin, La Fere and Laon.

On the Aisne front the Americans have established their new lines and from these bases are extending their gains in the direction of Rheims.

(International News Service.)

With the American Army on the Vesle-Aisne Front, Sept. 10.—Franco-American forces are progressing slightly in the region of Revillon and Glennes in the face of stubborn resistance that is increasing. The ravine heads before the Franco-American forces are thickly emplaced with machine gun nests. The Krupp batteries north of the Aisne are maintaining an incessant and harassing fire, but in spite of this fact and the general stiffening of the enemy resistance, the Franco-Americans have succeeded in rounding up a few additional prisoners. Indications are that the enemy is attempting to stand before the Americans on his present line, as every American activity is replied to with heavy bombardment.

(International News Service.)

London, Sept. 10.—A second enemy counter attack in the vicinity of Gouzeaucourt was completely repulsed last night by the British, the war office announced. The British line was advanced to the south of Havrincourt. Progress was made during the night northeast of Neuve Chapelle. In Flanders the British advanced to northwest of Armentieres.

(International News Service.)

Paris, Sept. 10.—Although the resistance of the Germans is becoming more obstinate, the allied armies are continuing to make progress, indicating that Gen. Foch has no intention of losing the initiative. The French infantry at several points is gallantly advancing in the face of heavy enemy artillery, capturing enemy advance posts along the Hindenburg line. The allies have twice as much artillery now as they were able to master when they last faced the Hindenburg line.

(International News Service.)

Paris, Sept. 10.—Pushing steadily forward to St. Quentin, French troops have taken seven towns on an 18-mile front from Etireillers to Remigny, the war office announced last night.

(International News Service.)

London, Sept. 9.—The allied armies are today everywhere advancing, says Field Marshal Haig, the British commander-in-chief, in a special order of the day which has just been issued to the British army.

"One month has now passed since the British armies have successfully withstood all attacks by the enemy and once more took the offensive in their turn. In the short space of time by a series of brilliant and skillfully executed actions our troops repeatedly defeated the same German armies whose vastly superior numbers compelled our retreat. What has happened on the British front

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THE TERRIBLE PLIGHT OF THE JEWS OF THE EAST.

The great world war which has raged for the past four years has been one of tragedies, not alone for the nations involved through their own volition but also for those that have been drawn into the maelstrom by the ruthless acts of despotic rulers intent only on victory. Belgium, a neutral nation, has come more prominently into public notice because of its geographical location and because it was the first innocent bystander to be ground under the heel of the German tyrant. But the plight of the Belgian people is no worse than that of the Jews of Poland, of Lithuania, of Galicia, of Palestine and of Turkey. The Belgians, had their little army been able to stand the brunt of battle, would have had the protection of their own government. It was not so with the Jews of the East, who have been oppressed by the Turks among whom they dwell, by the conquering Hun hordes and by the general rank and file of the cruel who have no compassion for the weak.

The conditions existing among the oppressed peoples of the East are well told by Nathan Strauss, the great New York humanitarian whose life work has been the supplying of pure milk for the babies of tenement-inflicted Gotham. In a letter to I. J. Kuhn, of Albany, Mr. Strauss has stated over his signature, which stands for something the world around, that three million of his fellow countrymen are at the point of starvation. Gaunt hunger stalks abroad in the war zone. Men, women and children are actually starving to death. Families are forced to subsist upon one bucket of soup a day. The dead are hidden away in order that their meal tickets may serve to keep the feeble flicker of life glowing in some emaciated form.

It is needless to say that the sufferings of these people do not touch the calloused German heart. Such sufferings bring joy to the cruel and inhuman Turk. Europe has a load of misery of its own. The only land to which the starving Jews can turn for succor is America, the great big republic where human sympathy abounds and where men and women give for the sheer joy of doing good. Already ten million dollars has been raised in the United States and sent abroad for Jewish relief. This sum, however, is now exhausted and an additional \$15,000,000 must be forthcoming to preserve the lives of these hapless victims of circumstances beyond their own control.

Like all the problems of the war, this one comes home to the Twin Cities just as to every other community in the entire length and breadth of the land. Local Jews are asking for a contribution of \$5,000 from Albany and Decatur and have given one-fifth the amount. This money is not being solicited in the name of the Jewish people, but in the name of humanity. As Mr. Strauss himself has well said:

There never was a better opportunity for the Christian to prove his practical Christianity—and never a better one for the Jew to prove his broad humanity and devotion to the teachings of his fathers, than the opportunity presented in the war zones today.

The Jewish people of the Twin

Cities have always been at the forefront in aiding commendable causes. They have done their "bit" in helping to win the war. They are large holders of War Savings Stamps and Liberty Bonds. They have given to the Y. M. C. A. and the Red Cross. Their appeal for their own countrymen abroad should meet with a ready response.

Willia mH. Bean Dies at Hartselle

WAS ONE OF THAT CITY'S MOST PROMINENT BUSINESS MEN.

Hartselle, Ala., Sept. 10 (Special)—Funeral services for Wm. H. Bean who died Saturday, were held at the residence of his son, W. B. Bean, at 3:15 o'clock Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. F. L. Aldridge, pastor of the Methodist Church, assisted by Rev. L. F. Parrish of Birmingham. After the funeral the interment was made at the city cemetery, the pall bearers being Joe Weifrich of Birmingham, Ed Templeton, M. D. Wiggins, L. S. Echols, E. J. Percy and P. C. Kimbrough of Hartselle.

The deceased had been a resident of Hartselle the past seventeen years coming here from Birmingham where he had resided twenty-five years. He was born and reared at Montgomery but selected Tuscaloosa as a home when a young man. He leaves one son, W. B. Bean, two grand daughters, Mary and Will Evelyn Bean, and two nephews, Hugh and Archie Bean, of Birmingham who attended the funeral and burial. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. Mr. Bean was a member of the Methodist Church and one of the substantial business men of the town, having been the senior partner in the large hardware and furniture business of W. B. Bean & Co.

Four Questionnaires Haven't Been Returned

Out of the forty-seven men who registered for military service on August 24, all but four have returned their questionnaires, it was stated this morning at the offices of Secretary Draper of the local exemption board.

NOTICE TO PARENTS.
The state law requires that children must be seven years old before they can enter the public school. The Decatur Board of Education, under that law of the state, directs the superintendent to admit all children whose seventh birthday falls within the term or half session, in which they enter.

Therefore, we will admit now all children who will be seven before January 14, next; and at that time we will admit those who will be seven before May 20.

We will receive no pupils for the first grade after the third week of school.

J. FLOYD COLLINS,
Superintendent.

AT DEATH'S DOOR

"I was talking with my neighbor, Mr. Webb, the other day, regarding the great trouble his stomach had given him. He said he suffered 7 or 8 years, and had been almost at death's door a number of times from acute indigestion and bloating of gas, which seemed to shut off his heart action. He said he wouldn't have lived much longer if he hadn't taken Mayr's Wonderful Remedy when he did, which made a well man of him." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.


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(adv.)

Home Guards, Attention!

You are hereby given notice to be at the Armory tonight at 8 o'clock, for drill.

B. L. MALONE, Major.
By R. T. SHEPPARD, Adjt.



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GRANDMA'S Powdered Soap

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According to his theory, sick headache, aching limbs and that dull, sluggish, half-sick feeling are really a symptom of liver trouble and resultant constipation. Haven't you noticed that you suffer most this way when you are bilious or constipated?

A safe and sane remedy for sick headache and other symptoms of constipation and liver sluggishness is "333" Liver Tonic, a deliciously flavored preparation of the pure, laxative extracts of fruits, herbs and plants combined with Pepsin. It gives the entire digestive system a thorough and gentle cleansing, sweeping out the poisons and impurities which so often cause pain and suffering.

333 Liver Tonic is much different from other liver medicines in that it has such splendid tonic effect upon the liver, stomach and bowels. Its use may be discontinued at any time without bad effect.

You will do well to keep a bottle of this medicine handy at all times. Its timely use will prevent much sickness, suffering and expense. Genuine 333 Liver Tonic can be bought in big fifty-cent packages at Dillehay Brothers and other good drug stores. Do not be satisfied with a substitute. If your druggist hasn't genuine 333 Liver Tonic in stock, he can get it for you quickly.

Morgan County National Bank
Albany, Alabama

CONDENSED STATEMENT AUG. 31, 1918.

| RESOURCES. | LIABILITIES. |
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| Loans and discounts \$468,265.71 | Capital stock \$100,000.00 |
| Overdrafts 148.45 | Surplus 20,000.00 |
| Building and fixtures 24,306.06 | Undivided profits 38,983.56 |
| Other real estate 1,715.14 | Reserved for taxes 1,725.58 |
| U. S. Bonds for circulation 100,000.00 | Reserved for interest 2,062.49 |
| Liberty Bonds 23,500.00 | Circulation 100,000.00 |
| U. S. Treasury Certificates 89,000.00 | Certified checks 34.26 |
| War Savings Stamps 491.55 | Cashiers checks 40.35 |
| Other Bonds 32,600.00 | Due banks 1,394.65 |
| Stock Fed. Reserve Bank 3,600.00 | Individual deposits 595,626.93 |
| Five Per Cent Fund 5,000.00 | Fed. Res. Bank Fiscal Art. 26,270.14 |
| Cash and due from banks 137,511.05 | |
| Total \$886,137.96 | Total \$886,137.96 |

INDIVIDUAL DEPOSITS.
August 31, 1915—\$302,512.10
August 31, 1916—378,413.18
August 31, 1917—403,619.83
August 31, 1918—595,626.93

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MRS. E. G. POLK IS AN ENTHUSIASTIC WAR WORKER.

An interesting article in Sunday's Age-Herald from the pen of "Patriotic Patricia," illustrated by a two column photograph of Mrs. E. G. Polk, of Anniston, tells of the splendid war work being done by this former Albany matron, who has many friends here. In describing Mrs. Polk's activities, Patriotic Patricia in part says:

"Mrs. E. G. Polk is chairman of the woman's division of Calhoun county, and her work during last month in the War Savings Stamp campaign demonstrated her splendid executive ability and intense patriotism. Few women have the welfare of the men in uniform more at heart than Mrs. Polk. In addition to mobilizing her time and efforts she is constantly cheering the soldiers at Camp McClellan through some act of sweet thoughtfulness. Mrs. Polk is secretary of the Calhoun County Red Cross chapter and her interest has proven invaluable in this as in every other phase of Red Cross work. She believes that the women of the nation should feel as great a responsibility to serve as the men who are so cheerfully making supreme sacrifices. She has inspired loyal cooperation from all the committees working with her on the Pershing enrollment campaign and a high record will undoubtedly be made during September under her able leadership."

Miss Mollie Wright delightfully entertained last night at her home on Ferry Street for Miss Cleo Lovin who leaves for Athens College the last of the week. Those present were Cleo Lovin, Gladys Kerr, Lula Garnett, Imogene Winton, Gene Buchanan, Cornelia McMullen, Zana Lovin, Flora Gardner, Louise McElroy, Hubert Aycock, Hudson Purifoy, Floyd Collins, Eugene Collier, Milton Collins, Lewis Broadway, John W. Lovin, Lawson Draper, Ernest Morrow, Thomas Hatton, William Foster. After dancing, singing and games, a delicious ice course was served.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fodders have returned from a trip to Windsor, Canada, Detroit and Cincinnati.

Mildred and Catherine Hosch have returned from Haysmill.

Essie Miller of Tanner is visiting her aunts, Mrs. Hosch and Fodders.

Miss Jessie Mae Miller will return from Missouri this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Henry who spent the summer at Trinity Mountain have arrived at Brookhaven, Miss., motoring the trip.

Mrs. John Minor will leave for Florence Wednesday to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Minor.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH.

The Woman's Missionary Society met at lecture room of the Central Methodist Church for study. Miss Groenendyke was the leader.

BRIDGE FOR GUEST.

Mrs. J. H. Donald will entertain three tables at bridge Wednesday afternoon for her guest, Miss Williamson of Lebanon.

(Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle)

Mr. George M. Goodman, a former Augustan and known to his boyhood friends as "Sonnie" is spending a few days in his old home, visiting his sister, Mrs. Susan Johnson, at No. 27 Tenth Street. Mr. Goodman is now living at Albany, Ala., and is associated with the Louisville & Nashville Railroad at that city.

He has a son in France, and this soldier writing to his father expresses the conviction that the world war will be brought to a close before the winter season sets in. They will not be able to do any fighting on the French front during the winter months.

Mrs. Charles Odom will go to Sheffield for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Tidwell have moved from Trinity.

Miss Ruth Hartung went to Birmingham on Monday.

Mrs. Lewis Poynter is in Birmingham today.

Miss Lelia Williamson of Lebanon, Tenn., is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Donald.

Mrs. W. A. Carden and son, J. D., left today to visit Pulaski relatives.

Mrs. M. L. Hardage and son, Lieut. Lewis Hardage, left this morning for Chattanooga.

Mrs. I. N. Butler and mother, Mrs. Dooley have returned from a two weeks stay at Knoxville and Chattanooga.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Beard and daughter, Marjorie, with Mrs. Early Phinney, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bibb, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Bibb and Mr. Harbin Miller motored to Sheffield for the day.

Mrs. Vera Austelle and son, Malcolm, arrived Monday night from Henderson, Ky., where they spent the summer.

Mrs. W. T. Lowe went to Birmingham to visit her sister, Mrs. Paul White who is still at St. Vincent's Hospital.

Luke Pryor and family, accompanied by Misses Julia and Ida Roberts spent the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nunn at Trinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Littlefield are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Littlefield of Ferry Street.

Miss Anne Jones is leaving soon to re-enter Judson College.

Mrs. J. A. Well has taken apartments at 701 Canal Street with Mrs. E. A. Armstrong.

Mrs. Charles Grayson is the guest of Mrs. W. F. Boswell.

Mrs. J. A. Moore left Sunday night for Norfolk, Va., to visit her son, Garland B., who is at the officers' training school.

Miss Saline Rountree who visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rountree the past week returned to Birmingham Monday.

Miss Fannie May Norton of Florence is the guest of Miss Hermione Troup.

Miss Rowena Baker has returned from Atlanta where she was a guest of her sister, Miss Mamie Baker. The friends, Miss Mamie will be glad to know she is improving in health.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hayes, formerly of Mt. Pleasant, Tenn., have moved to Albany where they will reside in the future. Mrs. Hayes was formerly Miss Margaret Shay of the Twin Cities and has many warm friends here, who welcome her and Mr. Hayes most cordially.

Baby Charlotte Greer Whatley will leave tomorrow to visit her "soldier daddy" at Jacksonville, Fla., accompanied by her mother, Mrs. L. J. Whatley.

Miss Ruth Emen's has returned to her home at Trinity having spent a few days with Miss Maggie Simpson of Albany.

Miss Maggie Simpson spent yesterday with friends at Trinity.

Miss Annie B. Malone has returned from North Carolina, where she visited her brother, Asbury Malone, and will leave soon to enter Judson College.

Emmett De Kalb Whitman, Jr., the young son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Whitman, who has been ill for some weeks, is reported today to be in critical condition, and grave fears for his recovery are entertained.

No More Fords Until After War

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 10.—Production of motor cars by the Ford Motor Company has been suspended entirely, it was officially announced at the plant here today. The move will enable the company to devote its entire facilities to government work, the announcement says.

PERSONALS

Jas. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Davis, is at home on furlough from Pensacola, Fla.

Cecil Royal left Sunday night for Tuscaloosa to enter State University.

Ben S. Drake left last Thursday for Camp Pike.

T. D. Wilkinson spent the week-end with his family, returning to Sheffield Monday.

Lieut. Curtis Almon will arrive tonight.

Carl M. Hayes is in Birmingham today where he was called to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Van Hayes, who is critically ill.

S. M. Thompson returned last night from Fayetteville, Tenn., where he was called by the illness of his mother, who is improving.

President C. M. Dinsmore of the Alabama Farmer's Union was in the Twin Cities today.

CIRCUIT COURT IS

STILL IN SESSION

Circuit Court is still in session, with Judge Robert Brickell of Huntsville presiding. Non-jury cases are being heard.

Southern Senators

Quiz B. Baruch

on Cotton Prices

Washington, Sept. 10.—Barnard Baruch, chairman of the war industries board, underwent cross-examination by twenty-two southern senators today who sought to learn in secret session just what are his plans for stabilizing the price of cotton. Reassuring messages have been sent by President Wilson to cotton producers telling them their interests would not be jeopardized, but intense indignation is still directed towards Mr. Baruch because of his tempering with a situation satisfactory to cotton.

Ambulance Driver

Given War Cross

Paris, Sept. 10.—In the name of President Wilson, General Pershing has conferred the distinguished service cross upon Albert F. Hartwell, an American ambulance driver for bravery under fire in rescuing wounded Americans.

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Gay Millinery for Women

A new note in Fall Millinery is the marked tendency toward elaborate trimming ideas. The simple modes of past seasons have been discarded for dressier models. These stunning styles are in velvet, hatters plush and combinations of these materials tastefully trimmed with all manner of quills, ribbons, crushed flowers, ostrich and the like. Prices are far below what you may expect.

Hosts of Charming Blouses

To be fully abreast of the new autumn styles one needs but see the showing. There are all styles here to meet all preferences and all needs from daintiest georgette or net to the "service blouse" of linen and the prices are particularly satisfying.

Frocks That Fit in With Autumn Days

Both styles and fabrics possess an atmosphere of Fall. Satin, tricotine, serges and duvyns make up this group of modes that will appeal to women who appreciate smartness combined with service giving quality. Many distinctive features are shown in this group.

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Second Prussian Guard Shattered

(International News Service)
With the British Army in France, Sept. 9 (Night).—That serious inroads have been made upon many German divisions by the British drive is evident from the experience of the second Prussian guards. From the ranks of that division the British captured 180 officers and 2,313 men between August 21 and August 25. Gen. Von Buelow, commanding the seventeenth German army, has issued a manifesto concerning the preparation of food in his army and the food conditions.

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The garage and salesroom are constructed of brick with concrete floors and are practically fire-proof. The workshop is outfitted with every mechanical device known for the quick and successful repairing of any and all parts to the entire satisfaction of all parties concerned. Five expert mechanics with factory experience are employed and they are fully qualified to care for all ill incident to any make car. Every job, however small, however large receives the best expert attention and is not released to the car owner until Mr. Harris has personally inspected the work and marked the job "o. k." Mr. Harris has already made friends with the majority of machine owners of this section and he is known to tourists far and wide as the "Decatur man who delivers the goods on time." When he says a job will be finished by such-and-such a time, the owner can be assured that it will be ready at the appointed hour. That means much to the overland tourist who must cover so many miles a day or lose out on his schedule.

Mr. Harris is endowed with wonderful business integrity or he would never have made the rapid advance he has in so short a time after entering the automobile business. He is a staunch advocate of thoroughness and reasonable rates and every patron must be perfectly satisfied in detail or he will accept no compensation. Such commendable traits of business character are chiefly responsible for the great business that is keeping his plant open day and night this summer. The writer wishes to congratulate Mr. Harris on the wonderful progress he has made in about ten months activity. (Advt.)

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BELGIAN TROOPS STRIKE IN NORTH

(Continued from Page One)

has happened on the front of our allies. The allied armies are everywhere advancing victoriously side by side over the same battlefields on which by courage and the steadfastness of their defense they broke the enemy's assault."

Field Marshal Haig added that the capture of 75,000 German prisoners and 650 guns in the course of four weeks' fighting showed the magnitude of the British achievement. "Already we have pressed beyond our old battle lines of 1917. My thanks are due to all ranks of the fighting forces for the indomitable spirit of defense and the boldness to attack and to all commanders and staff officers. We passed through our many dark days together. Please God, they never will return."

Paris, Sept. 10.—French forces have extended their gains east of the Crozat canal and repulsed two more German attacks south of the Ailette river, the war office announced today.

London, Sept. 10.—Nineteen German airplanes were shot down by British raiders last week, it was announced today. Only four British machines are missing. During the week 14 tons of bombs were dropped on Ostend and Bruges.

London, Sept. 10.—The advance of French troops to the line of Zandeuil and Essigny between St. Quentin and La Fere is admitted in the latest German report, received here this afternoon.

DR. MURRAY HEARD AT THE FIRST BAPTIST

PROMINENT MINISTER FROM
SOUTH CAROLINA IS HEARD
HERE.

Rev. Dr. I. G. Murray, of South Carolina, a prominent Baptist minister, occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist Church of Decatur on Sunday morning, when he preached a deeply spiritual sermon from the text: "Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities."

The sermon of Dr. Murray was preceded by a vocal solo by Miss Christine Woodward, with accompaniment by Mrs. T. M. Dix.

"We all need help," said Dr. Murray, after announcing his text. "Interdependence is the law of life. We should all seek to go through life in such an efficient way as not to be stumbling blocks to our fellows."

The speaker showed that inefficient Christian living was due to the fact that the Holy Spirit was not rightly honored. "It is God's will that we be filled with His spirit," he declared. "Christians should never speak of the Spirit as 'It.' Such an impersonal way of speaking of Him, is dishonoring. How would you like to be spoken of as 'it' by those who you were trying to save and help?"

Offices of the Holy Spirit. A number of the offices of the Holy Spirit were spoken of. And in this connection Dr. Murray said that he did not come to preach about sinners, but that on the other hand he did not preach that God would accept any excuse for sin. That religion without the work of the Holy Spirit was "a hollow mockery" was a declaration of the speaker. He showed how the Spirit was the means of a successful prayer life; that He was the great agent for the destruction of sin; the one essential aid to Bible study; and the only power sufficient to overcome the sovereign wills of misguided human beings. Dr. Murray prayed earnestly in the opening of the service for the success of the allied armies. He asked for peace only in God's good time, and "that our boys come home when they have helped provide safety and liberty for the entire world."

XMAS BUYING IS SANCTIONED BY DEFENSE COUNCIL

OWING TO FACT THAT GIFT ARTICLES HAVE ALREADY BEEN MANUFACTURED.

At a well attended meeting of the Morgan county council of Defense, held at the court house last night, a number of matters relating to the war work for the county were discussed, but on most of them definite action was postponed until the next regular meeting next Monday night.

As to Christmas trade, a matter over which the council has jurisdiction, given it by the War Industries Board, it was the sense of the council that it is urgently necessary that county councils of defense take steps to immediately relieve the apprehension on the part of retail merchants in their respective communities.

The following ruling from the State Council of Defense was given to the press for the guidance of merchants and the public.

Supplementary to our general letters regarding "Christmas Buying" we beg to advise that after insistent efforts on the part of several of the State Councils of Defense the first resolution relating to this subject has been modified.

The Council of National Defense was prompted to restrict Christmas buying owing to the necessity of saving labor and material in the manufacture and sale of Christmas gifts and of saving transportation and delivery facilities.

The council was influenced in this matter because of the critical shortage of the national labor supply, both skilled and unskilled, and the imperative need of relieving it by drawing men from less essential industries. The shortage today is practically 1,000,000 men each of skilled and unskilled labor.

After further consideration, however, it is recognized that the manufacture of goods for the coming holiday season has been substantially completed and a large quantity of the merchandise is now in the retailers' hands.

In consideration of these facts, the Council of National Defense requests that Christmas giving be limited to useful articles and that holiday purchases be spread over the months of October, November and December so as to relieve transportation facilities of the country from congestion during December.

This suggested restriction in Christmas giving shall not apply to young children for whom the holiday custom should be preserved without endangering the national interests.

The large retail merchants of the nation have agreed to co-operate with the government in these suggested measures, and the present government ruling is conditioned upon the loyal and thorough spirit of co-operation on the part of buyers and sellers throughout the country.

The War Industries Board has participated in the conferences on the subject of Christmas buying and we are authorized by it to say that to conserve manpower Christmas deliveries must be restricted and customers induced to carry their own packages whenever possible.

BACKACHE KILLS!

Don't make the fatal mistake of neglecting what may seem to be a "simple little backache." There isn't any such thing. It may be the first warning that your kidneys are not working properly, and throwing off the poisons as they should. If this is the case, go after the cause of that backache and do it quickly, or you may find yourself in the grip of an incurable disease.

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| Lead Pencils, each..... | 2c |
| Lead Pencils..... | 2 for 5c |
| Lead Pencils, each..... | 5c |
| Drawing Pencils..... | 5c |
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| Stafford Inks, all kinds..... | 10c up |

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| Carter's Ink, black, blue and red..... | 10c |
| Sanford Ink, black, blue and red..... | 10c |
| Wharton's Ink, black, blue and red..... | 10c |
| Fountain Pen Ink..... | 15 and 35c |
| Mucilage..... | 10c |
| Library Paste, tubes..... | 10c |
| Library Paste, bottles..... | 10c |
| Rubber Erasers, each..... | 1c |
| Rubber Erasers, each..... | 5c |
| Pen Holders, each..... | 5c |
| Pencil Holders, each..... | 5c |
| Fountain Pen Holders, each..... | 5c |
| Pencil Sharpeners..... | 10c |
| Water Color Paints..... | 10 and 35c |
| Black Board Erasers..... | 5c |
| Stamping Pads..... | 25c |
| Stamping Pad Ink..... | 50c |
| Indelible Pencils..... | 10, 15 and 25c |
| Indelible Inks..... | 25c |
| Aluminum Drinking Cups..... | 5 and 10c |
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